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In re Application of Stephen J. Plante			
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For HIGH PERFORMANCE TURBO AND VITERBI CHANNEL DECODING IN DIGITAL SIGNAL PROCESSORS			
Art Unit 2133		Examiner J. D. Torres	
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